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TO: Examiner Steven H. Versteeg
Art Unit 1753
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RE: U.S. Patent Application No. 10/621,096
For: MONOLITHIC SPUTTERING TARGET ASSEMBLY
Our Ref.: 02022 (3600-394-01)

FROM: Luke A. Kilyk, Esq. *LK*

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1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated July 26, 2005, for which the Examiner has set a three-month period for response, thus making the response due on or before October 26, 2005.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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